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APPLICANT(S): Somers et al.

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TITLE: A METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR EFFICIENTLY MOVING  
PORTIONS OF A MEMORY BLOCK

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 29, 2004 in connection with the above-identified patent application, Applicants respectfully submit the following Amendment and Response. A Petition and fee for a one-month Extension of Time for Response, up to and including March 29, 2005, is submitted herewith.

The enclosed check also covers the fee for adding four new claims in excess of the twenty-three previously paid for. The Applicants believe no additional fees are due with the present Amendment and Response. However, if any other extension period or fee is required to have this Amendment and Response entered or considered, please consider this a conditional petition for the proper extension and authorization to charge the required fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1721.

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- **Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.

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